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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: Luong T. Nguyen
TAKAO ENDO ET AL.	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2622
Application No.: 10/606,418	)	
	:	Confirmation No. 5676
Filed: June 26, 2003	)	
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For: PHOTOELECTRIC	)	
CONVERSION APPARATUS	:	
AND PHOTOELECTRIC	)	
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HAVING THE APPARATUS	)	January 8, 2007

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the document listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the required fee of \$180.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-3939.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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